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12/13/2012 10:52 AM

To Yao Tang

cc Douglas Watson, Tom Gross, Timothy Sharac, Melissa Puchalski, Gary Lear, "Howell, Kemp K", "Stewart, Marcus O"

bcc

Subject RE: FW: FW: CASTNET Site Information

Yao,

The data for those two days have now been updated with an RM code in AQS. Please let me know if you need anything else.

Thanks,
Chris

From: Yao Tang [mailto:YTang@kdheks.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, December 12, 2012 12:13 PM
To: Rogers, Christopher M
Cc: Douglas Watson; Tom Gross
Subject: RE: FW: FW: CASTNET Site Information

Hello Chris,

Thanks for contacting me about the CASNET ozone data flagging.

The ozone data we want to be flagged is from 4/12/2011 00:00 through 4/13/2011 23:00. It's 2011's data but not 2012's.

The qualifier code we want to assigned is "RM" (for prescribed fire).

Please let me know if you have questions. Thank you very much for your help.

Yao

From: Rogers, Christopher M [mailto:Christopher.Rogers@amec.com]
Sent: Wednesday, December 12, 2012 10:52 AM
To: Yao Tang
Subject: RE: FW: FW: CASTNET Site Information

Hi Yao,

I can be your point of contact for changes to data for the Konza Prairie CASTNET site. Do you want this assigned a RT exclusion request code as a wildfire or was this a prescribed burn? Do you want all 48 hours (between 4/12/12 00:00 and 4/13/12 23:00) to have this code assigned?

Thanks,

Chris

From: Sharac.Timothy@epamail.epa.gov [mailto:Sharac.Timothy@epamail.epa.gov]
Sent: Monday, December 10, 2012 9:35 AM
To: Rogers, Christopher M; Stewart, Marcus O
Cc: Tom Gross; Yao Tang; Douglas Watson; Howell, Kemp K; Puchalski.Melissa@epamail.epa.gov; Lear.Gary@epamail.epa.gov
Subject: Re: FW: FW: CASTNET Site Information

Hi Chris and Marcus,

Douglas Watson of the Kansas Dept of Health and Environment would like to pre-flag CASTNET ozone data entered into AQS for KNZ184 for the dates of April 12 + 13, 2011 due to Flint Hills burning during the burning season which may have lead to an exceptional event.

Would it be possible for you to do this?

Thank you,

Tim

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Douglas Watson ---12/10/2012 09:18:58 AM---Tim, We have not heard back from your contractor on our request for information on flagging of CASTN

From: Douglas Watson <dwatson@kdheks.gov>
To: Timothy Sharac/DC/USEPA/US@EPA, Tom Gross <TGross@kdheks.gov>
Cc: Yao Tang <YTang@kdheks.gov>
Date: 12/10/2012 09:18 AM
Subject: FW: FW: CASTNET Site Information

Tim,

We have not heard back from your contractor on our request for information on flagging of CASTNET site data. Would you be able to request this again?? Thanks.

-Doug

From: Yao Tang

Sent: Friday, December 07, 2012 1:16 PM
To: Douglas Watson
Subject: FW: FW: CASTNET Site Information

From: Vollaro.Robert@epamail.epa.gov [mailto:Vollaro.Robert@epamail.epa.gov]
Sent: Friday, December 07, 2012 1:15 PM
To: Yao Tang
Subject: Re: FW: CASTNET Site Information

I don't work with the CASTNET system. The person to contact is Gary Lear. His number is (202) 343-9159 and his e-mail address is lear.gary@epa.gov<mailto:lear.gary@epa.gov>

[cid:1__=0ABBF05EDFFA10548f9e8a93@epamail.epa.gov]Yao Tang ---12/07/2012 10:56:30 AM---Dear Mr. Vollaro, My name is Yao Tang. I am working on the Bureau of Air, Kansas Department of Healt

From: Yao Tang <YTang@kdheks.gov<mailto:YTang@kdheks.gov>>
To: Robert Vollaro/DC/USEPA/US@EPA
Cc: Douglas Watson <dwatson@kdheks.gov<mailto:dwatson@kdheks.gov>>
Date: 12/07/2012 10:56 AM
Subject: FW: CASTNET Site Information

Dear Mr. Vollaro,

My name is Yao Tang. I am working on the Bureau of Air, Kansas Department of Health and Environment. I contact you because you are listed as the contact person for monitoring/emissions reporting in Region 7 in your CASTNET website.

Since the CASTNET ozone data has been sent to AQS database for designation calculation in 2011, we found out that some data we need to add qualifier codes for data exclusion. Those data were affected by Flint Hills burning during the burning season in Kansas in April, 2011. I tried to flag those data, but found out I do not have permission to work on it.

My supervior, Douglas Watson contacted Mr. Timothy Sharac in EPA last week, and Mr. Sharac sent an email to someone else to take care of this issue, but we have never received any response so far. Please read the below email I forwarded to you.

I would very appreciate it if you can provide me some contact information or some information on how to get the data flagged either by EPA or by Kansas.

Sincerely,
Yao Tang

From: Sharac.Timothy@epamail.epa.gov<mailto:Sharac.Timothy@epamail.epa.gov> [mailto:Sharac.Timothy@epamail.epa.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, November 28, 2012 4:10 PM
To: Rogers, Christopher M; Stewart, Marcus O
Cc: Douglas Watson; Yao Tang; Puchalski.Melissa@epamail.epa.gov<mailto:Puchalski.Melissa@epamail.epa.gov>; Lear.Gary@epamail.epa.gov<mailto:Lear.Gary@epamail.epa.gov>
Subject: Fw: CASTNET Site Information

Hi Chris and Marcus,

Doug Watson from the Kansas Dept of Health and Environment requested that we pre-flag some ozone data for the CASTNET site KNZ184 from 2011 (April?). Doug can give you the specific dates, he is currently writing up a proposal for an exceptional event and was just recently informed that CASTNET ozone data are to be used in a compliance fashion. Doug tried to pre-flag the ozone data for the CASTNET site, but he did not have the appropriate permission.

Please coordinate with Doug to pre-flag these data.

Thank you both,

Tim

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----- Forwarded by Timothy Sharac/DC/USEPA/US on 11/28/2012 04:50 PM -----

From: Douglas Watson <dwatson@kdheks.gov<mailto:dwatson@kdheks.gov>>
To: Timothy Sharac/DC/USEPA/US@EPA
Cc: Yao Tang <YTang@kdheks.gov<mailto:YTang@kdheks.gov>>
Date: 11/28/2012 04:49 PM
Subject: CASTNET Site Information

Hey Tim,

Thanks for taking my call. If you could forward us the contact information we need to get permission to flag data in AQS for the CASTNET site here in Kansas (Konza Prairie KNZ184) that would be appreciated.

-Doug

Please note new FAX number

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